



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **SUZUKI, Minoru et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2822**

Serial No.: **10/014,407**

Examiner: **Ida M. SOWARD**

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For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE WITH SURGE PROTECTIVE COMPONENT
AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 12, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 23, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

